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Docket No. 1154-01

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Washington, D.C. 20231

## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Small entity

## CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date APRIL 19, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number EJ 296080652 US with proper postage affixed addressed to the: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

  
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Title: LIGHTING SYSTEM

## 1. Type of Application

☐ Original☐ Continuation☐ Divisional☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

## 2. Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16)

☒ Regular application

## CLAIMS AS FILED

Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$690.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c)) 20 - 20 =	0 X	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)) 3 - 3 =	0 X	\$80.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))		\$260.00	\$260.00

REDUCTION FOR SMALL ENTITY STATUS OF 50% CLAIMED.

☐ Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed.

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3. **Fee Payment Being Made and Authorization to Charge Fees**

☒ basic filing fee \$355.00  
☐ recording assignment \$    

4. **Papers Enclosed Which Are Required For Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 CFR 1.153 (Design) Application**

11 Pages of specification 1 Pages of Abstract 4 pages appendix  
4 Pages of claims 6 Sheets of drawing 7 Figures

5. **Additional papers enclosed**

☐ Preliminary Amendment ☐ Cited References  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.98) ☐ Other  
☐ FORM PTO-1449

☒ CHARGE ACCOUNT  
AUTHORIZATION enclosed

6. **Declaration or oath**

☒ Executed ☐ Unexecuted and enclosed

7. **Assignment**

☐ An assignment of the invention to was previously filed.  
☐ A separate "Cover Sheet for Assignment (Document) Accompanying New Patent Application" is attached.

☒ 2 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. N/A

☒ 3 37 CFR 1.16(a)-(g)  
☒ 4 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)  
☒ 5 credit any overpayment to Account No.

Total fees enclosed \$ 355.00

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8. **Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 USC 120) Please amend the specification accordingly.**

☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application  
09/588249 filed June 6, 2000.

☒ This transmittal ends with this page.

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